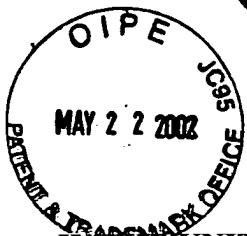


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Applicant encloses the following documents in response to the Notice of Abandonment of

April 18, 2002:

1. Petition to Accept Delayed Payment of Issue Fee – Failure to Pay Unintentionally
(37 CFR 1.155(C) and 1.316(C);
2. Copy of the originally filed Transmittal of Payment of Issue Fee (including,
Issue Fee Transmittal Form, Submission of Formal Drawings – 4 Sheets, 4
Figures, and the Certificate of Mailing via Express Mail); and a
3. Check in Amount of \$2,560.00.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

I hereby certify that this Transmittal Letter and the documents referred to as being enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this 22nd day of May, 2002 in an envelope marked as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mail Label Number EV094677481US addressed to: Box Issue Fee, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

Carol S. Parker-Hines
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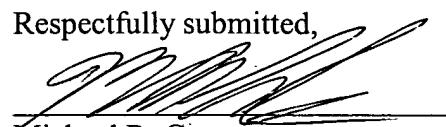
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If there are any other additional fees required in connection with the filing of this response, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0308.

Dated: May 22, 2002

By:

Respectfully submitted,


Michael R. Cammarata
Reg. No. 39,491

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Applicant encloses the following documents in response to the Notice of Allowance and

Issue Fee Due January 10, 2002:

- 1) Issue Fee Transmittal Form (PTOL-85B);
- 2) Submission of Formal Drawings (including 4 sheets of formal drawings).

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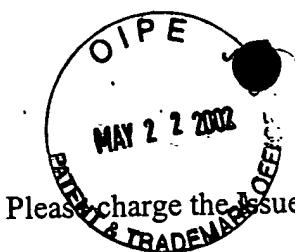
CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

I hereby certify that this Transmittal Letter and the documents referred to as being enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this 17th day of October, 2001 in an envelope marked as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mail Label Number EL869632406US addressed to: Box Issue Fee, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

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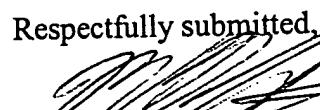


Please charge the Issue Fee of \$1,280.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.18(a) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0308. If there are any other additional fees required in connection with the filing of this response, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0308.

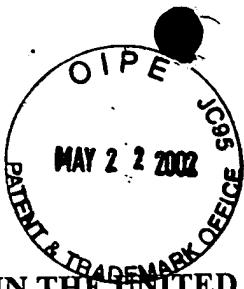
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SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please replace the informal drawings with the formal drawings filed herewith. If the formal drawings for any reason are not in full compliance with the pertinent statutes and regulations, please so advise the undersigned.

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